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REMARKS

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1. From 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on 10 April 1953,                      8 Pe-2s, 2 biplanes, 2 single-engine monoplanes, and 4 Li-2s at Bad Voeslau (0 48/X 36) airfield. There was no air activity. Weather was rainy, visibility limited. The aircraft revetments were empty. There was no change in the status of the radio installations at the field.

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2. Building Nos 3, 13 and 14 on Bahnstrasse in Bad Voeslau quartered air force personnel. The laundry was guarded by an air force sentry; trailers                      were parked nearby. Truck                      driver with black-bordered blue epaulets, and tank truck                      were seen proceeding to the laundry.

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                     Comment. After February 1953, the aircraft strength of the air reconnaissance regiment at Bad Voeslau airfield decreased from 17 to 8 Pe-2s. This reduction may be connected with an intended re-equipment of the unit with Il-28s.

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